KERALA KALAMANDALAM

405. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri)* : Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) has not Kalamandalam got funds of its own ;

(*b*) what is the amount ;

(*c*) what is done with the same ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) At the end of Dhanu 1120 the amount to the credit of the institution is Rs. 47,365—8—10.

(*c*) It is now in the treasury; the question of investing a portion with due reference to future requirements is engaging attention.

406. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) is "dancing" one of the activities of the Kalamandalam at the time of the Government assuming management continued now ;

(*b*) if not, why ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)* : (*a*) No.

(*b*) A dance section was opened in R. L. V. Fine Arts School, Trippunittura and it was not considered necessary to have one in the Kalamandalam also.

407. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) is the owner of the Trichur site where Kalamandalam activities are conducted any way related to the Superintendent ;

(*b*) what is the rent paid for the Trichur site ;

(*c*) is not the site selected in Trichur most unsuited to Kalamandalam activities ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Rs. 85 per month for site and buildings together.

(*c*) That is a matter of opinion. The site is not considered an ideal one, but for want of a better one the institution is obliged to be located where it is.

408. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the "Kalamandalam" is not now under Government management ;

(*b*) what is the establishment charges per month ;

(*c*) whether there is a request pending with the Government requesting the institution to be handed back to the Managing Board ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The present establishment charges are Rs. 284—8—0 per mensem plus Dearness Allowance of Rs. 108 per mensem plus an allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to the massage expert for 3 months in a year.

(*c*) There is no request pending with Government requesting the Institution to be handed back to the Managing Board. But there is a proposal to entrust the management alone to a Committee the Institution still remaining under Government.

409. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) is the Kalamandalam being paid the amount Rs. 7,000 decided to be paid to it annually by the Government ;

(*b*) if not why ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) What has been decided as a temporary measure is to pay the Kalamandalam a contribution out of the general revenues to cover the deficit income for working the institution subject to a maximum of Rs. 7,000 a year.

(*b*) Contribution is being made whenever deficits occur.

AIDED OR GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS IN THE STATE TO WHICH NAMBUDIRIES ALONE ARE ADMITTED

410. Mr. K. Kunhirama Menon *(Cheruthuruthi)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

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(*a*) the number of Government or Aided Schools in the State in which only Nambudiri Students are admitted; their names and locations;

(*b*) whether there are any other schools in such villages intended for other community people;

(*c*) if not, why the Government has not considered yet of giving equal facilities of education to the youngsters of other communities other than Nambudiries?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) Two aided.

(1) The Namburi Vidyalayam, Trichur—loctead on the western side of the Railway line between the western Nadakavu and Kottapuram.

(2) The E.N.B.V., Panjal, located almost in the centre of the Panjal village.

(*b*) Yes, so far as Trichur is concerned. But as regards Panjal, the E.N.B.V., is the institution in the village.

(*c*) There is a Government Malayalam School in the Killimangalam village which lies contiguous to the Panjal village on the east, there is the Paliam M.G.S., Mullurkara on the west and the Pynkulam Government Malayalam schooi on the north. These are all schools situated within easy reach of children belonging to the Panjal village. The L.S. School at Cheruthuruthi too is not far off and for High School education they can go to the High School at Chelakara. So, facilities already exist for the education of children belonging to communities other than Nambudiries though not in the Panjal village itself. And, as such, there will be little justification for the Government to take steps to open a Sirkar School in Panjal village.

PYNKULAM AIDED SCHOOL

411. Mr. K. Kunhirama Menon *(Cheruthuruthi):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the date on which the Pynkulam Aided School was taken over to the Government;

(*b*) whether the staff list of the school has been approved by the Government;

(*c*) whether the present teaching staff are paid monthly after its assumption by the Government?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) With effect from 4th Thulam 1120.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) No.

TEACHERS DRAFTED FROM AIDED SERVICE

412. Mr. K. R. Achyutan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the names of teachers who were drafted from Aided Schools to U1 Grade in Government Service from the beginning of 1943 up to the end of January 1945;

(*b*) the reasons for drafting each of the teachers under reference into Government service;

(*c*) the total number of permanent posts in U1 grade;

(*d*) total service put in by the teacher who occupies the first rank in U2 grade;

(*e*) whether time scale of pay is prevalent in the case of teachers in Government Schools;

(*f*) whether Government have received any complaint from teachers who are in service that the drafting of teachers from aided schools to the higher grades in Government schools blocks the chances of promotion of the former, and in order to obviate such injustice the number of permanent hands in the particular grade to which such drafting is made should be increased proportionately at the time of drafting?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) (1) Mr. A. Karunakara Menon. (2) Mr. E. P. Issac. (3) Rev. P.L. Francis.

(*b*) 1 and 2 specially meritorious service rendered during the disturbances in 1118 and 3 as a special case.

(*c*) 40.

(*d*) 25 years; 7 months and 1 day on 1st Kumbham 1120.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) No.

CIVIL COURT BUILDINGS—INADEQUACY OF SPACE

413. Mr. A. V. Moothedan *(Chalakkudi):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the Hon'ble High Court Judges have made any representations as to the inadequacy of space and congestion in the Civil Court buildings at Ernakulam:

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